

PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES FORM

Agency Name: Idaho Public Utilities Commission STARS Agency Code: 31

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IDAPA Numbers and Chapter Name: 31.71.02

This Rule is: Proposed Temporary Effective Date: _____

If Temporary Rule:

Protection of the public health, safety, or welfare; or

Compliance with deadlines in amendments to governing law or federal programs; or

Conferring a benefit.

If this is a temporary rule which imposes a fee or charge, provide justification as described in Idaho Code, Section 67-5226(2):

NA

Need for Proposed Rulemaking:

Increase the monetary reporting threshold for railroad accidents/incidents and make housekeeping updates.

Proposed Rules Changes (Summary Only):

The PUC's Accident Reporting Rules were last updated in 1993. The proposed changes would adopt the October 1, 2002 49 CFR Part 225 with an update reporting threshold and make other necessary housekeeping changes.

Interest Group(s) or Citizens Affected:

Railroads and Operation Lifesaver

Estimated Costs for Rulemaking (Publication and Operation Costs): \$150

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DFM Analyst Comments:

Received Date: _____ Review Date: _____ Internal Admin. Rule No.: _____

DFM Analyst Signature: _____ Approved: Yes No

Special Assistant Signature: _____ Approved: Yes No